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SEARCHED			
Class	Sub.	Date	Exmr.
340	8253 573	12/23/03	bms
463	21 20 36 16 1 11-18 16-20	12/23/03	bms
273	137 143	12/23/03	bms
Search updated as above 4/5/05 TM.			
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710	8	6/23/04	TM.
463	29	6/23/04	TM.
705	5	6/23/04	TM.
Search updated as above 2/23/05 TM.			
463	42	2/25/05	TM.

INTERFERENCE SEARCHED			
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SEARCH NOTES (INCLUDING SEARCH STRATEGY)		
Search	Date	Exmr.
Root -usp to -JPO -EPO -IBM/DB -USPG Subs	12/23/03	bms
Search strategies Enclosed.	12/23/03	bms
Consulted PE Charles Jones re: Interference	6/16/04	TM.
Consulted SPPE Pinchas Lauter (2100) regards interfering claim and withheld at first office action	6/22/04	TM.
updated Search Strategy enclosed	6/23/04	TM.
Revised office action with Pinchas Lauter.	6/24/04	TM.
Revised Search Strategy enclosed	2/25/05	TM.